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Tuesdays and Fridays

**LINCOLN RIGHT IN LINE WITH
HIGHWAYS MOVEMENTS**
**Men Appointed To Actively Represent
Stanford at Enthusiastic
Meeting of Commercial Club**

Lincoln county's complete co-operation was emphasized and assured at a meeting of the Stanford Commercial Club held here Tuesday night, at which time three delegates were appointed to represent Lincoln at a meeting of the Boone Way promoters at Mt. Vernon Monday night, at 7:30 o'clock, and were also instructed to attend the Dixie Highway Conference which is to be held in Louisville tomorrow, and to get into communication with the Lexington people who are working for the routing of the Dixie Highway through the Blue Grass section of Kentucky. The representatives of the Commercial Club named were Mr. J. S. Hocker, Judge James P. Bailey and Shelton Saufley. In addition to these regularly accredited delegates it is planned to have quite a delegation of prominent local citizens go to Mt. Vernon next Monday to boost for the Boone Way and at the same time let the hustling other counties along the route, which have so recently distinguished themselves in the voting of large government bond issues, know that old Lincoln and Stanford are prominently on the map, and do not intend to take a back seat in the good work which is being accomplished. They will assure their friends and neighbors of Rockcastle, Laurel, Whitley and other mountain counties, that Lincoln, the first Blue Grass county coming from the mountains, will meet the road making mountaineers with open arms, and not only with words of commendation and cheer, but likewise with the aid of co-operation and consequence.

At the Dixie Highway meeting in Louisville and to the promoters at Lexington, as well as at Mt. Vernon, the fact will be made clear beyond quibble that Stanford and Lincoln county intend to be right in the front row in this great highway movement which is assuming such gigantic proportions at this time. They will be shown that as a center of interest, both from an historic and scenic point of view, no county in the state can approach the inducements that Lincoln has for the routing of the Dixie Highway. The good roads and preparations for further road work and improvement, both through local appropriation and with the state aid funds which have been allotted it, will be gone into at length, and it will be shown that not only can the county be routed, but the proposed highways, will do more toward making ideal thoroughfare conditions than will Lincoln.

The meeting of the Commercial Club proved an enthusiastic affair. Some 25 or 30 of the leading business and professional men of the county were present in the Courthouse when President J. C. McClary called the club to order. He read the invitation sent out by the Mt. Vernon Boone Way Booster Band in connection with the meeting, and invited an informal and general discussion of this matter and the Dixie Highway proposition, which has been so fully discussed in the public prints the past several weeks.

Among the first speakers was Congressman Harvey Helm, who spoke enthusiastically over both the Boone Way and the Dixie Highway projects and has made a special study of the historic and scenic inducements which Lincoln county and Stanford have to offer to travelers from the north and south. Mr. Helm recalled the routing of the old Logan Road, and suggested that nothing could be done which would prove more interesting or attractive to visitors touring through Kentucky than to see a reproduction of the old Indian fort which was one of the landmarks of the pioneers of Kentucky for a long while in the early days. He said that he would like to see a reproduction made of that fort as nearly as possible on the original site and urged that the Commercial Club take steps to have it done. He pointed out that one hears much of the forts and fortifications of the times, such as the forts of Liege and Namur which held out so long against the Germans. People are interested in such things at this time, and he believed that a world of travelers through the country would even go out of their way, if they had to, to see an exact reproduction of the old fort which was used by the pioneers of Kentucky in their warfare against the Indians. He also pointed out other historic features which were to be found immediately around Stanford. He reminded his hearers that Lincoln County was the home of the first Governor of Kentucky; that the first brick house built in Kentucky, the old Whitley house, still stands a few miles this side of Crab Orchard. He said that it was his information that the first brick building erected upon the site of the Allegheny mountains was built right here in Stanford, and he would offer, at his own expense, to reconstruct this old brick house, if the Commercial Club and the people of Stanford would undertake to reconstruct the old fort and other works of the pioneer days. Mr. Helm declared that no county west of the Cumberland mountains offered a vantage point for a finer view than can be obtained right at Hall's Gap, a few miles south of Stanford. He told of other scenic and historic points of interest, and urged that it was up to Stanford and Lincoln county to take prominent part in the great movement which is now under way and growing all over the nation for better roads, better highways of travel and greater opportunities. He urged active co-operation in both the Boone Way and Dixie Highways and was liberally applauded when he sat down.

Various questions regarding the plans of the Boone and Dixie Highways brought forth short talks by Messrs. J. S. Hocker, Will Shanks, W. M. Bright, C. Hays Foster, Will Sev-

erance, K. S. Alcorn, Dr. J. G. Carpenter, Shelton Saufley and others, and upon motion of Mr. Hocker, the president of the club was authorized to appoint three delegates to attend the meeting at Mt. Vernon and to attend the conference of Dixie Highway Commissioners at Louisville, and to get into communication with the promoters of the Blue Grass Route at Lexington.

County Judge James P. Bailey said that the fiscal court of Lincoln county was preparing with local funds and with state aid funds to build the three miles of pike between Crab Orchard and the Rockcastle county line which will connect Lincoln with the Boone Way coming westward from the mountains. From Crab Orchard to Stanford, the pike will be repaired and reconstructed and the remainder of the route of the Old Wilderness road or Boone's Trail from the Cumberland mountains to Louisville, is already piked and in good shape.

Lexington To Be Represented, Too.
Lexington is preparing to be represented at the Good Roads meeting at Mt. Vernon also. The Lexington Leader said this week: "Secretary Edwin L. Quarles of the Board of Commerce is making plans for an automobile delegation to go to Mt. Vernon next Monday. A meeting is to be held there to take up the question of the route of the Boone Highway west of Crab Orchard. The route east of Crab Orchard has already been decided upon and bonds voted by the several counties through which the highway will pass. There are a number of claimants for the routing of the western end of the road and it is expected that the Mount Vernon meeting will provide some measure to determine the route. The purpose in making the trip to Mt. Vernon by auto is to give the Lexington people a chance to see the condition of the roads en route, and also as a matter of convenience, the train schedules to Mt. Vernon making a tiresome train journey from this city."

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.
Rev. D. M. Walker will preach at the Goshen Christian church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Chapel, near Parkersville, will have Home-Coming Sunday, April 25. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Lesson instruction by Dr. F. W. Eberhardt.

Mrs. J. F. Gower requests all the members of the Beulah Walker Circle of the Christian church to meet in the lecture room of the church Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

Rev. J. W. Beagle has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church in Hustonville. The members of Rev. Beagle's congregation here are earnestly hoping he will not accept the call.

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LATEST NEWS OF THE WAR

Peace talk continues to be heard on all sides, though each and every party to the conflict insists that there can be no peace until it gets what it wants, which leaves the experts wondering whether or not there will be any peace until the combatants have exhausted their resources of men. Still, the persistence of the talk leads those who are hoping for peace to renew their efforts.

England insists that Germany will have to sue for peace and that heavy indemnities and considerable territory is to be the price paid when the time comes. Evacuation of Belgium, restoration of that nation's sovereignty and the payment of an indemnity to compensate that nation for the destruction wrought; cession by Germany of Alsace and Lorraine to the French and the payment of an indemnity for invasion of French territory; cession to Russia of German Poland, Galicia, and possibly additional territory; cession to Serbia of Bosnia and Herzegovina and division among the African German colonies among the allies are the things the allies are at present insisting on before there can be any peace. The Germans ridicule such terms and say they are put forth at this time purely for effect and to counteract reports of general exhaustion.

Kitchener has landed his new English army of 1,000,000 men in the western theatre of war and fighting will soon be on a gigantic scale there where killing will be carried on in a manner even more wholesale than before. The armies facing each other are the French and the British, reaching from the Swiss frontier to the North sea. The French express confidence that they will be able to penetrate this solid wall whenever they are ready. Germany, however, has reinforced the old army and is confident of being able to hold firm until the Allies have enough.

The Russians have invaded the plains of Hungary, according to London reports. Russian and German official reports are both to the effect that they are winning in the eastern zone.

The Dardanelles have been quiet for several days though a dash up the straits for ten miles by an attacking warship without mishap is reported. The English and French late in the week were reported to have landed 20,000 troops near the Gulf of Saros to make a land attack on the Turkish fortifications.

HUSTONVILLE.

Mrs. Ruby Farley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Huston, on the Stanford pike, died Tuesday morning at eight o'clock of tuberculosis at the home of her parents. The burial occurred in the Hustonville cemetery Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. She leaves two small boys to mourn her loss besides her parents.

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SCORE OF GAMES NOW EVEN

Stanford Defeats Hustonville 8 to 7 After 12 Innings of Play.

In one of the hottest contested ball games seen here in long time, the Stanford High School nine defeated Hustonville here Tuesday afternoon by a score of 8 to 7. It required 12 innings to decide the combat, so viciously was it fought. A. J. Coleman in the last half of the 12th, his theft of second and third and tally on an infield out, won the game for Stanford and made the score of games between the two teams two won and two lost each this season. Except for a very ragged 12th inning very interesting. Dozier pitched a splendid game for Stanford, and with perfect support would have won the game without the extra innings. Hall also pitched well for the West Enders during the nine innings, he officiated. McMullen, who succeeded him, was suffering with a strained arm, but was very effective until he let down in the 12th just long enough to give Coleman free transportation to first which lost the game for the visitors. The box score:

Stanford	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dozier, p	5	1	2	10	2	0
Gover, 1b	6	1	2	10	2	0
S. Embry, 2b	6	1	2	2	0	1
Singleton, ss	6	1	2	6	4	0
Dozier, p	6	0	0	3	3	0
J. Embry, 3b	6	1	2	0	2	1
Noe, cf	6	0	1	2	0	0
Cash, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman, rf	3	2	1	1	1	0
Woods, c	5	1	0	10	0	2

Total	51	8	10	36	10	11
Hustonville	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Conway, 2b	6	2	1	2	1	0
McMullen, cf & p	6	1	1	2	0	0
Bell, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Eads, 3b	6	1	2	0	2	2
Sandidge, c	5	0	1	15	0	0
Riffe, cf	6	0	0	3	1	1
Weddie, ss	6	0	0	2	1	5
Thomas, ss	1	0	0	1	0	0
Murphy, 1b	4	1	0	10	1	0
Hall, p	5	0	1	0	4	1
Barnette, rf	5	2	0	0	0	0

Total.....51 7 6 35 10 9
Time of game—1 hour, 50 minutes.
Three-base-hits—Singleton.
Two-base-hits—Coleman.
Umpires—Mr. Perkins, Mr. Myers.

Mrs. Nancy A. Logan Dies in Chicago

News reached Stanford Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Nancy A. Logan which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Todd, in Chicago. Deceased had been ill for some time of a complication of rheumatism and her end was expected. The greater portion of her long life, she being 78 years old, was spent in Lincoln, where she was widely known and universally loved. When a child she joined the Christian church and she carried the faith to the last. Mrs. Logan was the relict of James Logan, who was called hence more than a quarter of a century ago. Besides the daughter mentioned, she leaves two sons, George Logan, of this county, and Hugh Logan, of Cooper county, Missouri. The remains arrived last night and were taken to the home of her nephew, Dan Traylor. This afternoon after services by her pastor of many years' standing, Eld. J. G. Livingston, the body will be laid to rest in Goshen Cemetery.

And thus passes another good mother, whose memory will be cherished in the years that are to come.

Dead of Pneumonia

Elijah Brackett, brother of A. P. and J. W. Brackett, of this city, died at his home near Shelby City Thursday morning of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife and several children. The burial took place in Buffalo cemetery this afternoon.

Prof. Enoch Wesley Dead in Casey.

Prof. Enoch Wesley, probably the best known teacher in Casey county, having spent all of his long life teaching in 27 different schools of his home county, died Monday. He lived in the Yosemite section, where his influence for good was largely felt.

Landrum Hears Good Reports.

Good reports come from the campaign of our old friend, Col. Walton, of Lexington, who wants to be secretary of state. If the Democrats of Kentucky have any appreciation of the value of a faithful service to party they will nominate Col. Walton. He not only deserves it, but is in every way capable to fill the office.—Danville Messenger.

MIDDLEBURG

Prof. E. A. Wesley is very sick at his home near Yosemite, and his friends have but little hope of his recovery.

Our local weather prophets are predicting a dry summer. They base their prediction on the present unprecedented dry spell which seems to us might indicate the opposite.

There were six automobiles in town at one time Saturday. It took close watching to dog them.

Miss Ruby Fogle is at Danville visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Fogle.

The McKinney minstrel gave a creditable performance at the graded school building Saturday night. The house was fairly well filled and all are said to have enjoyed the performance.

An attempt will be made Friday to vote bonds to finish paying for the school house here. This proposition has been defeated twice in the past, but it is promised better sailing this time. Dr. C. B. Creech has the matter in hand and different methods of persuasion are being used to win friends to the proposition, than heretofore, and it is thought there will be but little opposition.

W. A. Hoskins brought Rev. Beagle down Thursday and they spent several hours here. Those who met Rev. Beagle were favorably impressed with his appearance and more than likely the church will call him for one-fourth time. He will preach here Sunday morning with a full attendance of the members is desired.

Makes 61 Feel Like 16.

"I suffered from kidney ailments for two years," writes Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Miss. "I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Pills about ten months ago. I am 61 years of age and feel like a 16-year-old girl." Foley's Kidney Pills invigorate weak and deranged kidneys, relieve backache, rheumatism and bladder trouble. Sold Everywhere.

Crab Orchard Gets Bankers' Meet.

The executive committee of bankers of the Eighth and Eleventh districts met at Crab Orchard Springs this week and decided to hold the next bankers' convention at that place. The date is Friday, June 4th, and an unusually important meeting is looked for. The bankers of this, the Eighth district, will entertain those of the Eleventh and the spread for them that will be prepared by Col. and Mrs. J. B. Willis, of the Springs, will be more than worth while. Shortly after removing to Crab Orchard, Cashier H. G. Skiles, of the Crab Orchard Banking Co., set his head toward getting the meeting and began work to that end. The result of his efforts is shown in this announcement. A hundred or more bankers are expected and nothing will be left undone to make their stay at Crab Orchard profitable and pleasant.

Padgett's Rehearing Overruled.

The Court of Appeals Wednesday overruled a petition for a rehearing in the case of Padgett vs. Cincinnati Southern railroad company, on appeal from Lincoln county. The court had previously affirmed a judgment of the Lincoln circuit court by which Alvin Padgett recovered a \$5,000 judgment against the railroad for injuries. The overruling of the petition for a rehearing means that the railroad must now "come across" with the coin to the amount of the damages assessed against it.

Woman Working In Harlan.

Interest in road building in Kentucky is not confined to men. Miss Eva Newman